

Weekly Programs

Registration begins Tuesday, September 5.
Registration must be done in person.

Tales for Twos

20-minute programs designed especially for
2-year-old listeners and their parents.

September 18 – December 12

Mondays 10:30 or 11:00 a.m.

or

Tuesdays at 10:30 or 11:00 a.m.

A parent or caregiver must attend.
Siblings are welcome.



Preschool Pizazz

30-minute programs designed especially for
children ages 3-5.

September 19 - December 13

Tuesdays at 1:30 p.m.

or

Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m.

While parents do not
attend storytime with
preschoolers, we rely on
them to be our partners
and ask that they remain
in the library during
programs.



Born to Read Storytimes

20-minute lapsit programs of rhymes, stories,
songs and activities designed for children
under the age of two and their parents.

Registration not required.

Bi-weekly

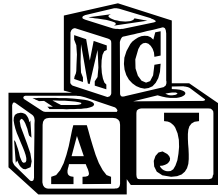
**Second and fourth Friday of each month
at 10:30 a.m.**

September 8 and 22

October 13 and 27

November 10 (closed 24 for Thanksgiving)

December 8 and 22



Siblings are welcome.

Holiday Craft Workshops

Drop-in. No registration required.



Halloween

Saturday, October 21

2-4 p.m.

Thanksgiving

Saturday, November 18

2-4 p.m.



Winter

Wednesday, December 20

2-4 p.m.



Bring your imagination!

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or call us at 434.455.6320

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September is Library Card Sign-Up Month

The Smartest Card
Get it. Use it.
@ your library

Today's kids are well-outfitted. Parents make sure their kids have the gear they need for all of their activities - uniforms for soccer, safety helmets for bike riding and new backpacks and binders, pens and pencils for a new school year - but they might have overlooked the most important supply of all.

September is Library Card Sign-Up Month, the perfect time to make sure kids are equipped with a library card. A library card can give kids access to free homework help, materials to research their papers or information for their next book report. It can also help make life after school more fun, with free access to music, DVDs, the Internet and more.

Of course, library cards are not just for kids. According to a recent household survey by the American Library Association, 44% of parents report that they bring their children to the library because it gives them something to do together. Parents can help their children explore new interests and, at the same time, enjoy a family program or pick out a best seller for themselves. Best of all, family time at the library won't break the bank. The library and all its resources are all free with a library card.

This month, make sure your kids gear up for school by signing up for a library card. No matter how crammed the backpack - or your family's schedule - there's always room for the smartest card of all. Get it. Use it. @ your library.

Author Terry Wise to Speak at Lynchburg College

On Tuesday, October 24 Terry Wise, author of *Waking Up: Climbing through the Darkness* will speak at Lynchburg College. As of our publication date, the time has not been determined. The event, sponsored by Centra Health, is free and open to the public.



Widowed at 35 following her spouse's death from Lou Gehrig's Disease (ALS), and after surviving a near-fatal suicide attempt, Terry Wise spent the next several years in treatment. A former trial attorney, Wise has since devoted her life to full-time writing and public speaking. She now travels to over 40 cities a year as a keynote speaker, continuing education instructor, and workshop presenter - speaking to both the general public and professionals on topics related to depression, grief, long-term caregiving, suicide prevention, and the process of recovering emotional health. For more information, see her website at www.TerryWise.com.

The library has a copy of *Waking Up* as well as a display of other books on suicide and suicide prevention.

Library Employees Recognized

Children's librarians, Ann Lawson and Diane Daniel were awarded Outstanding Employee Service Awards by the City of Lynchburg for their St. Patrick's Day storytimes presented to kindergarteners and first graders at local elementary schools in March. Wearing green sequined hats and shoes, glittering green wigs, shamrock eyeglasses and earrings, and rainbow shirts, they Irish jigged their way into the hearts of nearly 1000 children. Hats off to the best library leprechauns in the world! And to think they live right here in Lynchburg.

